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## RIGOLETTO

GIUSEPPE VERDI

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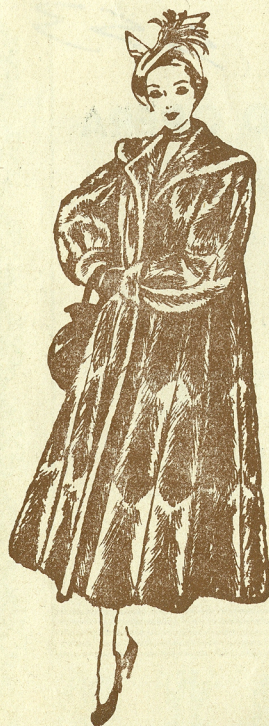
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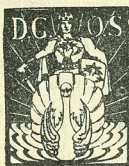
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### GUEST ARTISTS:

(From the Munich Opera) SARI BARABAS, ERNA SCHLUTER,  
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SCHMITT-WALTER, AUGUST SEIDER, GEORG WIETER,  
RUDOLF WUNZER.

(From the Rome-Milan Operas) GIANELLA BORELLI, ELENA  
RIZZIERI, ERINA VALLIE, PLINIO CLABASSI, GIUSEPPE  
FORGIONE, UMBERTO FRISALDI, ALVINIO MISCIANO,  
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## RIGOLETTO

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First produced Fenice Theatre, Venice, 11th March, 1851. Words  
by Francesco Marie Piave, founded on Victor Hugo's play,  
"Le Roi S'Amuse."

### Dramatis Personae.

The Duke of Mantua.....	ALVINIO MISCIANO
Rigoletto (his Jester, a hunchback).....	PAOLO SILVERI
Count Ceprano (a Noble).....	RONALD WITHERS
Count Montefiore (a Noble).....	UMBERTO FRISALDI
Sparafucile (a Bravo).....	PLINIO CLABASSI
Borza (in the Duke's service).....	BRENDAN CAVANAGH
Marullo.....	JOSEPH FLOOD
Countess Ceprano.....	MAUREEN RYAN
Gilda (Daughter of Rigoletto).....	ERINA VALLI
Giovanni (her Duenna).....	BEULAH COWAN
Maddelene (Sparafucile's sister).....	GIANNELLA BORELLI
A Page (in the Duke's service).....	MAURA MOONEY

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Place : Mantua

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ACT 2.....THE COURTYARD OF RIGOLETTO'S HOUSE  
ACT 3.....A SALON IN THE DUKE'S PALACE  
ACT 4.....OUTSIDE THE HOUSE OF SPARAFUCILE

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Musical Director.....LIEUT.-COL. J. M. DOYLE  
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Chorus Director.....MOIRA GRIFFITH  
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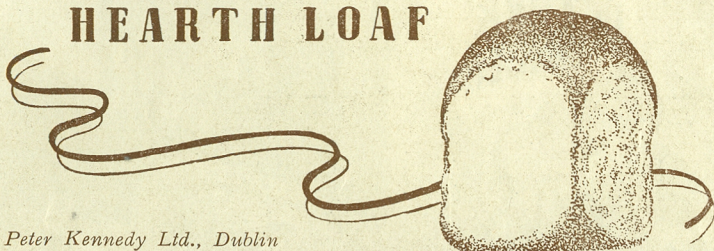




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